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MISSING FEMALE ADULT AT RISK

RIVERSIDE, CA – On October 16, 2015, at approximately 7:50 am, Riverside Police Officers responded to the 5000 block of Challen Ave reference a family member calling the police to report a missing person. The investigation discovered that a 72 old female, who may be cognitively impaired, was last seen driving away from a friend's house located only a few miles away from her residence on Challen Ave. The Riverside Police Department is being assisted by the California Highway Patrol by activation of a Silver Alert, which is providing immediate information to the public via the Emergency Digital Information Service Message.

The missing adult has been identified as Joan Weymouth. She is described as white female, blond hair, blue eyes, approximately 5 feet tall and weighing approximately 136 lbs. (See attached photograph) She is believed to be wearing a bright blue shirt, Denim Capri Pants and a brown sweater. Weymouth was last seen driving her vehicle, which is described as a 2000 Toyota Camry, white in color with a CA license plate of 4KZZ290

Detectives from the Riverside Police Department's Person's Unit are asking for the public's help and anyone with information is asked to call Detective Mike Medici at



951-353-7104 or Detective Jim Brandt at 951-353-7137. If after hours and you have seen or have information regarding the victim's whereabouts, please call your local police department, or the Riverside Police Department's 911 Dispatch Center at 951-354-2007



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